WHEELING, W. VA., THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 27, 1888.

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## MARBLEHEAD FIRE.

It Rapidly Wiped Out Over 12 Acres of Buildings,

Ginnis and Smith. It is reported that RENDERED MANY HOMELESS,

Threw Over One Thousand Workme Out of Employment and Came Near Destroying the Entire Town-The Loss \$800,000.

MARRIEREAD, Mass., Dec. 26.-This night, that devoured the entire business ortion of the town, about twelve acres. e fire was first discovered in the house urnishing store of D. B. H. Powers, on easant street, at about 10 o'clock. The cause of the fire is not known ad explosion of naphtha in the store The alarm was quickly rung in, and intly followed by a second and third, when the firemen reached the burning saiding it fell with a mighty crash. It was a wooden structure, and was rapidly unsumed. The firemen did their bear o'hold the flames in check, but their fiorts amounted to nothing. It seemed if everywhere a spark fell a fire arted. In fifteen minutes from the me the first alarm rung the entire busic separation was a senof flame. The fire god tiercely, and the two companies ere of no avail to fill the task they were illed upon to perform. Assistance was When the firemen reached the burning building it fell with a mighty crash. It was a wooden structure, and was rapidly

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anufacturing district, the principal nd. Fully sixty buildings were used. The people were frantic and ed to and fro as tlough crazed. The d watching their homes con-yopersented a pitiable sight, after demolishing the building it started, swept directly across bit that, which is totally From there it swept over to-B. Brown's house, which he limit of the fire on the west-The wind was most fortunate-

med. By this time help from Salem, Lynn and Swampscott arrived and this Typin and swampscott arrived and the response put new life into the cheerless workers. The city was flooded with strangers from all the surrounding towns. On Pleasant street the dwelling houses of Nathan Putunan, Asa Blancy, the Beston & Maine depot, Cole Bros. shoe factor, the best of the street the street of the second s

Drossman, Paine's livery Rix's fruit stand and

Fully 1,000 workmen are thrown out of employment. The number of build-ings consumed is estimated at between

THREE CHRISTMAS PATALITIES.

Two Men Impersonating Santa Class Burned to Death-A Chin's San rate. that the total number of immigrants arrived at the ports of the United States

Curcago, Dec. 26.—Three fatalities and a number of minor casualties resulting from accidents at Christmas festivities in this vicinity are reported in this morn-M. Stillwell was impersonating Santa Claus at a church festival. His cestume caught fire from a candle and Stillwell was statally burned. There was quite a panie in the church, several women and children being badly bruised in the

ne door. , Ill., F. W. Smith dressed of cotion batting and then incau-isly set to work to light the Christ-s tree. The cotton took fire and ith was so horribly burned that re-

During her absence her four-year-ov got out of bed and started to His night dress took fire and

the season took place here last evening. PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Dec. 26.—A the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her her best bounded by the season took place her best by the season took place her her best by the season took place her by the season to be season to be season to be season to be season t barn belonging to Joseph Pahl, of Seebeck, this county, burned last night with seven head of cuttle, a lot of hogs, valuable machinery, hay, etc. The loss is \$1,500 or \$2,000; insurance small.

A Fatal Fire. Chicago, Dec. 26 .- A small grocery tore on South State street was destroyed by an incendiary fire early this morning reported here that John Creel, one of and an unknown man, supposed to have
been a burglar, was burned to death. A
dentally shot and killed his fourteenbarrel of oil in the front part of the store exploded during the fire and a man named Frank Polo, who was standing outside of the store, was fatally burned.

Tohacco Factory Burned. BANVILLE, V.A., Dec. 26.—At South Boston yesterday the large tobacco factory of J. W. Easiey was burned. The factory was occupied by Norman & Evans and contained a stock of old tobacco valued at \$35,000

CERTIFICATES ISSUED

opments. Democratic counsel are be-leved to have some scheme afoot, but what it is is not known. Gov. Wilson's

object is not known, unless it be to gain time, as his duty in the matter i

HIS NAME IS MUDD,

But He Wants it to be Ell-A Maryland

PROBABLY A CANARD. A Rumor that Does Not Appear to Bear the

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.-A great

Christmas. Of course the main current

irts has been referred to the Attorney

Washington, Dec. 26.—The Comp-troller of the Currency has authorized the First National Bank of Johnstown,

Pleasant Social Event.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., Dec. 26

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Dec. 26.—Gov. Schoonmaker Mystery Cleared Wilson has issued certificates to Pendle by a Girl's Confession ton and Wilson, but not those to Mc

he says a protest has been entered against him so doing, and he is awaiting devel-

The Young Husband's Terrible Crim Exposed-Strange Revelations of a Young Lady-The Final Act of the Tragedy in Brooklyn.

purely ministerial.

At a special meeting the Republican County Committee adopted strong resolutions depounding Chapman for selling out to Littlepage, and requesting him to ast week told of the sensational occur rence, wherein Harry Schoonmaker, a well known young man, had shot his beautiful wife Edith, and then put a bulfound in their room, clasped in each other's arms, he dead and she uncon-Baltinour, Dec. 26.—Mr. Sydney E. Mudd, Republican candidate for Con-gress in the Fifth Maryland district, has scious, with a ghastly wound in her The couple were known to be through his council sent a written notice very happy and the cause of the tragedy to the Hon, Barnes Compton that he was a mystery. The occurrence was the will contest his seat in Congress. He many theories were advanced. But last night the whole mystery was cleared up in a most remarkable manuer. Kneeling at the bedside of dying Edith

Schoonmaker, and crying hysterically, a young woman yesterday told a startling story.

The only sister of the mortally wound-

The only sister of the mortally wounded girl was astonished when she enterted the Long Island College. Hospital to a find a strange girl there. She was young and beautiful and her eyes were red with weeping. "Forgive me," she said, "for the intrusion; but, while I am insocent of any wrong doing myself, my conscience troubles me. Harry Schoonmaker betrayed me at the point of a pissell, at Asbury Park, on Saturday night a week ago."

Christmas. Of course the main current of their talk, even at this joyous period, is politics, and so it came about that a very quiet rumor crept out among them to-day which caused some of them great uncesiness. The fact that ex-Senator H. G. Davis, of West Virginia, who was in the Senate as a Democrat with General Harrison, had been visiting the latter at Indanapolis, and the additional fact that is in the fathering way of Stephen B. with astonishment. It was a merciful unconsciousness that prevented the poor wife in the cot from hearing of such perfidity, else the shock might have extinguished the fluttering spark of life. As soon as the sister of the stricken one could recover herself she asked the girl or most what she shed said.

Harrison, has been visiting the mice at Indianapolis, and the additional fact that he is the father-in-law of Stephen B. Elkins, is perhaps mainly responsible for the story.

The story is to the effect that ex-Senator Davis intends taking the turiff reator Davis intends taking the turiff reators. The story is to the effect that ex-Senator Davis intends taking the turiff reators. The story is to the effect that ex-Senator Davis intends taking the turiff reators. The story is to be followed by his appointment to a Cabinet position by President Harrison as one of the representatives of the new South.

The basis for this story is that Senator Davis has a large personal following in his State; that his abandonment of Bemocratey would mean the loss of at least 3,000 tariff Democratic votos to the party in West Virginia, and as a conseleast 3,000 tariff Democratic votes to the party in West Virginia, and as a consequence of Paine's Express office to a mass of ruins. Thus it continued. Sheds, fruit stands and small tenement houses were consumed with rapidity.

THE TOWN THREATENED.

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old burg in June, 1877, was visited by a grand to taking possession of the properties of the which swept over nearly the same city, and can order troops to Austin for district. During the progress of the present fire several explosions were considerably, until we present fire several explosions were considerably to the Attorney of the present fire several explosions were considerably to the Attorney of the present fire several explosions were reached Asbury Park; there we got out, and, going to the Commercial Hotel, he registered and we were shown to our room. Until then I had perfect faith in lim, and when I protested he drew his pistol and said that he had determined to kill himself and me. I screamed and tried to escape, but he grasped me by the arm, drew me close to him and, putting the pistol to my head, told me that from the principal foreign countries, execut from the Dominion of Canada and for God's sake to consider the awful rived at the ports of the United States from the principal foreign countries, ex-cept from the Dominion of Canada and Mexico, during the month ended Novem-Mexico, during the month ended November 30, 1888, and the five and eleven months ended the same, was, respectively as follows: Five months ended November 30, 1888, 292,114; eleven months ended November 30, 1888, 694, 733; twelve months ended November 30, 1888, 716,844.

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A Morman Pardened by Cleveland.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The President as granted a pardon in the case of Bishop A. A. Kimball, convicted at the September term of the First District Court of Ulah of adultery and sentenced to eight months' imprisonment. The President's action in this case is based upon representations that the prisoner is in an advanced stage of consumption, and that he would not long survive in lis present surroundings.

New National Back.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The Comptoner of the Currency has authorized took the watch and he then began to talk of his wife and baby, speaking of them in a loving manner. I know his wife, and on that ground asked him to large the character of the Currency has authorized to talk of his wife and baby, speaking of the winch and and the prisoner took the watch and he then began to talk of his wife and baby, speaking of them in a loving manner. I know his wife, and on that ground asked him to him a loving the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with his arm around my neck, removing the pistol from my face, but with that one of the min and one for himself.

It hought to diver it is attent talk of his wife and baby, speaking of fortune them in a loving manner. I know his wife, and on that ground asked him to bring me to her. He refused and suggested that we go South together. I grew indignant at such a proposition and he again became violent, and once more placed the pistol at my head, but I coaxed him to take it away.

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was he pisson and he had a scale of the first away.

WAS HE INSANE?

"The next day he went to the dining room alone, refusing to permit me to accompany him on the ground that he had stopped at Asbury Park last summer and was quite well known, as was also his wife. The friendly Sheiks strongly urge the British authorities to advance upon Handoub. Chief Gamila has offered to lead a force of 1,000 warriors in co-peration with the British, and he promises that Osman Digna, if once expelled, will not be allowed to return. known and most popular citizens, gave a reception in honor of Mr. Henry Koontz and his newly wedded wife. Over one hundred guests were present and the occasion was one long to be remembered.

A Father's Sad Mistake.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

PARKERSHURGO, W. VA., Dec. 26.—It is reported here that John Creel, one of Ritchie county's prominent men, accidentally shot and killed his fourteen year-old daughter on Christmas evening, while fixing a revolver. The ball is said to have gone through the young lady's heart, killing her instantly.

Prominent B. & O. Man Married.

Special Dispatch to the intelligencer.

g to fight off some inevitable calam

note telling me to meet him the succeeding evening. Haunted by fear, I did so, and, taking me to a restaurant, he made me swear that I would not re-

made an appointment to meet him on Monday evening, at the bridge entrance Monday evening, at the bridge entrance on the Brooklyn side. I had heard nothing of the awful tragedy and proceeded thither, and while waiting met a friend, who, in the course of a short conversation, told me of Mr. Schoonmaker's act and showed me an account of it in a newspaper. I was shocked, and immediately an uncontrollable desire to see his young wife before she might die seized me, and aithough I struggled against myself, I finally yielded to my feelings and went that night to the hospital. That was last night—Christmas Eve—and I am sure the young woman when he lifted his hand against her in anger. It does not seen possible that she had any knowledge of her husband's intention until he sent the fatal bullets crashing into her brain. She was still living at a late hour last night. A late dispatch says: Mrs. Edith Schoonmaker died at the hospital to-night.

Barrett says that Schoonmaker, who

jumped the track at the outskirts of the city to-day, owing to an open switch, which was caused by the snapping of the switch rod by the frost

rebel force report that there are many wounded Arabs in Handoub. Osman

A. Cold Wave Approaching.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26 .- The Signal Service gives notice that a cold wave has ap peared in the northwest, and that the peared in the hortzwess, and that the temperature in this region will fall from 15 to 20 degrees before to-morrow morn-ing. A dispatch from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, says that a heavy snow storm accompanied by a high wind has pre-vailed there all day.

Supply of Grain. Chicago, Dec. 26.—The visible supply

of grain in comparison with that of week ago, as reported by the Board o Trade is as follows: Wheat 38,036,000 ty. His desperate manner overawed increase 791,000; corn 7,270,000, increase 43,000; cats 8,435,000, increase 465,000; counsel. We got to Brooklyn safely. That night, however, Harry sent me a 2,457,000, increase 32,000.

A SAD CHRISTMAS ACCIDENT. A Merry Boating Party of Sever Capsi

san Francisco, Dec. 25.—One of the veal a secret he was about to tell me. I compiled, and then he said he 'was heavily in debt, and, as he was running at a first pace, had decided to kill himself very soon. He again charged me to keep the secret until after he was dead, and remarked that whatever fate was his he hoped I would choose a similar one. We parted, but his words hunted me. Wednesday he called again, and once more startled me by saying that he was more determined than ever to make away with himself.

Again he pledged me to secresy but suddenly brightened up. He said that possibly I could save his life, and told me that if I really cared to see him live to write him a letter. I sent a letter on Saturder in case of the said to start home and the boatman started to jibhis sail, when a sudden said to the large of the said to start home and the boatman started to jibhis sail, when a sudden said to the large of the said to start home and the boatman started to jibhis sail, when a sudden San Francisco, Dec. 25 .- One of the again, and once more startled me by saying that he was more determined than ever to make away with himself.

Again he pledged me to secresy but suddenly brightened up. He said that possibly I could save his life, and told me that if I really cared to see him live to write him a letter. I sent a letter on Saturday, in care of Rosenberg & Co., which firm occupies a portion of building in which fir, Schoommaker was employed. However, from the moment he building in which fir, Schoommaker was employed. However, from the moment his people by somebody, but the awful dread with which he inspired me held me in check, and all I could do was to wait and hope for the best. What I suffered none can imagin—I have hardly slept a moment, and am almost broken of the week's doings.

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A HORRIBLE STORY.

A Physician Who Committed Prightful Acts of Brutality. Esganana, Mich., Dec. 26.—The Mirgives the details of a horrible affair just made public. Dr. W. W. Milliken has been practicing medicine here for nearly all that time he has been demoral purposes. An attempt was made to use this against Milliken, but tangi-ble evidence could not be procured. In June last a similar experience was had, but on Thanksgiving day the fences in the vicinity of Dr. Milliken's office con-tained a number of serious charges against the physician, and the people awakened to the fact that something

Whites and Blacks Use Stones and Pistol at Wilmington.
Wilmington, Del., Dec. 26.—A riot tween whites and blacks occurred at Sixth and Walnut streets, this city, be-

DENYER, Col., Dec. 26,-A fatal accient occurred this afternoon on Fifteenth street, between Tremont and Court ken and died in great agony, death of at least four men and mortal Deputy Sheriff Ed. Lathrop was aboard, wounding of two others. The Denver and was badly burnt, the stove having Gas Company had 100 men employed in fallen on him. All the others escaped the side of and underneath the track of the cable car line, when suddenly the the life out of and imprisoning the mer underneath. The men were immediate

A Famous Bantist Dving grain from RauFrance this morning man of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, was dying at that place. He went abroad for his health several months ago, but began falling rapidly

Father Isaac Threeker's Funeral. New York, Dec. 26.-Fully 5,000 peo leattended the funeral services of Rev Father Isaac Threcker to-day. The Patter Issae Threeker to-day. The body was attired in the robes of the Paulist fathers, of which body the deceased priest was Superior, and lay in state before the altar. The solemn office of the dead was chanted by a choir of 100 voices. Archbishop Corrigan celebrated the mass.

Died of Hydrophobia. Logan, O., Dec. 26,-William Westen parger died yesterday of hydrophobia after almost untold suffering for twentyfour hours, having spasms almost con-tinually during that time. Monday night the physicians put him in a stratt jacket, which in his ravings he soon tore to pieces. It took four or five strong men to hold him when attacked by a

CINCINNATI, Dec. 26.—Mr. Richard B. Hopple, a well known capitalist, died to-day at the Grand Hotel from typhoid fever. He was 72 years old.

A was reported test night that a riot was reported to the riot was reported to t

NTER-STATE COMMERCE JOHN REDMONDS SAD SIVAL.
HIS Little Daughter Stolen From Him—He
Becomes Insane Through Grief.

Testimony Regarding the Efficiency of the Law.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS TALK

General Opinion that the Law is Good Thing if Only Enforced-It Should be Lived Up to by the Companies for their Good.

many years. It transpires that during WANTS THE POOLING SECTION REPEALED. Vice President Bond, of the Chicago, hearly all that time he has been de-bauching children, many of them as young as ten years. Several times the fact of his infamy was made known to the parents of his victims, but they, after threatening the wretch, would let the matter drop to prevent a scandal Last February two little school children quarreled, and one accused the other of frequenting Dr. Milliken's office for im-moral nurgoese. An attemnt was made an amendment adopted requiring that like public notice shall be given when rates are reduced as when ruised, and make such notice not less than twenty days—thirty would be preferable—in-stead of ten as now. The commission should have authority to suspend such notice when necessary to meet the comshould have authority to suspend such notice when necessary to meet the competition of lines working wholly or in part by water or via Canada. He also layors an amendment prohibiting transportation contracts with shippers for a longer period than fifteen days, with a light restriction as to the price of tickets sold through or to outside agencies. Section 10, fixing a penalty for railway officials guilty of violation of the law, should be amended so as to make penalties alike applicable to the shipper who receives a direct pecuniary advantage therefrom.

WANTS THE LAW ADMINISTERED.

President Stickney, of the Chicago, Kansas City & St. Paul Railway, gives Kansas City & St. Paul Railway, gives expression to much the same idea set forth in his speech before the Western Freight Association last week. He wants a more vigorous administration of the law. It is, he says, fatally defective in one respect. The right to control carries with it the duty to protect. No government can rightfully take away from the individual the power of protecting himself, without at the same time extending the protection of the Governmentment. The "act to regulate commerce" has to a certain extent recognized this principle. Before the enactment it was customary where a company was forced by competition or otherwise to accept less than the remunerative rate at one point, to make it good by boiles were consumed

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PITTSBURGH, PA., Dec. 26.—The new freight rates in pig iron go into effect on the merchant went to Europe and leit Wittstock in charge of his business. The clerk at once took to rictors living, became infattated by two concerts aloon girls, upon whom he layished Committed setembe.

Lynchicus, Va., Dec. 26.—Robert Hull, a fireman on the Norfolk & Western railroad, and a brother of Allen Hull, General Passenger Agent of the same road, committed suicide last night by taking laudanum at the Norville Arlington hotel.

A Serious Wreck.

Hellen A Dec. 26.—The morning passenger train on the Montana Central jumped the track at the outskirts of the properties of the presence of the presence of the presence of the same road, committed accompany. The new fatter on pig iron in car loads is 15 cents to earling in less than car loads the rate is 172 cents, the old rate being 15 cents. These alloan girls, upon whom he lavished in less than car loads the rate is 172 cents, the old rate being 15 cents. These alloan girls, upon whom he lavished in less than car loads the rate is 172 cents, the old rate being 15 cents. These alloan girls, upon whom he lavished that the wedding is to be in each order of Allen that the wedding is to be in a church, in the presence of many people, would probably make her somewhat herefore, be present of the same road, committed company. The new fatter of the fact that herefore being 15 cents, the old rate being 15 cents. These alloan girls, upon whom he lavished the brother is one of the contracting less than car loads the rate is 172 cents. The salloan car loads is 15 cents and expensive clothing. Finally all the merchants goods were disposed of, the employes discharged and the establishment closed up. This state of in sectural form one vande when the stance of the employes discharged and the establishment closed up. This state of the establishment closed up. This state of the employes discharged and the establishment closed up. This state of the establishment closed up. This state of the establishment closed up. This state of the employes discharged and the ostablishment closed up. This state of the employes discharged and the establishment closed up. This state of the employee discharged and the options return from Europe. Wittstock was arrested in a conc

Change of Base. Western Division of the Atchison, Toebraska. The latter gentleman will ssume his new duties as General Man-ger of the St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas and on the 1st of January.

Railroad Official Resign CHICAGO, Dec. 26 .- It is stated here that Mr. Henry J. Page, for many years General Freight Agent of the Cincinnati, Indianapolis St. Louis & Chicago Raliroad Company (Big Four), has tendered his resignation and will sever his connection with that company January I. It is rumored that Mr. Page will come to Chicago as traffic manager of the Western Indiana & Belt Line Railway.

Joined the Catholic Church. De Fontilliat, nee Mimi Smith, a sister of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, has joined the Catholic church. Her husband is a French nobleman. She made her first communion in this city at the Christ-mas midnight mass.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

A great snow storm prevails at St. Heavy snows are reported in Iowa and

Two young ladies named Smith were

Two young ladies named smith were drowned at Hillsville, Pa., yesterday by the sinking of a skiff.

Frank Murphy, the pugllist, announces his willingness to fight Ike Weir for a purse of \$1,500.

O'Connor, the oarsman, will go to San Francisco in two weeks to row Gaudaur for \$2,000 and the championship. Mrs. Lucy Parsons, the wife of the ex

ecuted anarchist, was announced to lec-ture in Chicago last night, but was pre-vented by the police. It was reported last night that a riot

Cuicago, Dec. 26.—There was a sasequel to-day to a case resembling that of lost Charlie Ross. The missing child, in this instance, was little Tessie Red mond, the pretty golden haired four year-old daughter of sturdy looking John Redmond, a blacksmith. This afternoon the father, driven crazy by the worry and anxiety due to his little one's disappearance, and his fruitless efforts to recover her was adjudged insane in the county court and committed to a private asylun.

ownership of the bank was recently changed, and an attempt was made to cause a run on the bank, and had it not been for private aid it would have had to close its doors the next day after the change had taken place. This alone has been the cause of injury to the concern, but everything seemed to be moving along hicely until Saturday evening, when the bank officials, after a hasty examination of the affairs of the bank, refused to pay their checks. This was not decided upon, however, until numerous protests of paper had been made at different points over the country. The bank paid checks and received money up to 4 o'clock Saturday after noou. As nearly as can be learned the bank owes its depositors about \$20,000, and it is understood they have other liabilities amounting to something like \$50,000, but it is impossible to get hold of the facts, as National Bank Examiner Griffith is now in charge of the concern. It is reported he has found the assets to be largely in excess of the liabilities, and advises the officials to open up the bank as soon as they can get the consent of the Comptroller of the Currency to do so. The bank was capitalized for \$50,000. The principal creditors are reported to be at Kansas City. Close times and a failure to collect outstanding paper are the principal causes of the failure.

WILL TAKE SULLIVAN'S PLACE.

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McAuliffe Will be With Them When the Sun Goes Down-A Big Fight on Dit.
New York, Dec. 26.—The following dispatch was received from the California Athletic Club to-day:

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26. San Francisco, Dec. 26.

The prize fight for \$3,500 purse offered by this club for Joe McAuliffe, the champion of the Pacific slope, and Peter Jackson, the heavy weight champion of New South Wales, will be fought on Friday. The Fox rules will govern and there will be no draw. If John L. Sullivan refuses to fight Jake Kilrain for \$20,000 and the Police Gazette's diamond belt, which represent the championship, Joe McAuliffe will take Sullivan's place.

[Signed] W. R. Vice, Columbia A. C.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26 .- Adolph Witt-

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Adolph Wittstock was some time ago the confidential
clerk of Herman Shreyer, a commission
merchant of 46 and 48 Leonard street.
The merchant want to Europe and lett.
The merchant want to Europe and lett. clerk of Herman Shrever, a commission merchant of 46 and 48 Leonard street.

Paris, Dec. 26 .- In the Senate to-day, St. Louis, Dec. 26.-Mr. C. M. Rath- during the discussion of the estimates burn, at present Superintendent of the on account of the fine arts, M. Pastor, M. Plessens and other speakers de-Western Division of the Atchison, 10peka & Santa Fe Railroad, will succeed
W. B. Doddridge as Superintendent of
the Missouri Pacific lines in Kansas and
court's play, "Germinre Lacerteux,"
which they declared to be immoral.
M. Lockroy, Minister of Public Indre a shot gun at the officers when Wagfree a shot gun at the officers when Wagfree a shot gun at the officers when Wagfree a shot gun at the officers when Wagstruction, responded that the play was constructed with great literary skill, and he held that what was literary was rarely immoral. The Government, he added, was unable to intervene after the censor had passed upon a play.

A Crisis in the English Cotton Trade. be imminent in the Bolton cotton trade. this city, was presented with a goose by be imminent in the Bolton cotton trade.

A portion of the employes are already on strike and refuse to return to work on strike and refuse to return to work at Kinsman street car for his home, until their demands are complied with.

The masters complain of bad work and threaten to order a general lock-out unless the work is improved and the strikers return to work. The operatives have are amply supplied with funds and defy of clock last night he fell to the floor dead.

A Marder Near Unionteen.

BELGRADE, Dec. 26 .- King Milan and the Radical leaders have affected an

It Was a Conspiracy. St. Petersburg, Dec. 25.-A second inquiry into the recent accident to the Czar's train at Borki results in attributing the disaster to a criminal conspiracy

All of the recently discharged railway employes will shortly be arrested. Spanish Dynamiter at Work, Madrid, Dec. 26 .- A bomb was ex

member of the Chamber of Deputies. The persons guilty of the outrage are not known.

## STARTLING DISCOVERY

By a Party of Boys while Playing in Fairmount Park.

MUTILATED BODY FOUND

In Bundles Near the Reservoir-Evidence of a Foul Murder Conclusive-A Mystery for the Quaker City Police to Work Out.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—A number of additional interviews with railroad managers on the Inter-State Commerce law, are printed to-day. Traffic Manager Reve, of the Chicago & Grand Trunk road, says: For the past twelve months at the contrary to the Inter-State Commerce law have been properly observed by many of the railing, says. On the contrary, they have resofted to various schemes contrary to the word one. I also am of the opinion to-day, and although I believe it could be attended so as to make it more operative in every respect, I still think that if all the roads would strictly obey the present law in spirit and letter it would be far better for the railways themselves and more satisfactory to the commercial and more s murder had been committed, and the condition of the mains indicated that the deed had been done within twenty-four hours of the finding of the remains. The legs had been cut off close to the trank, the left one having been cut with a sharp knife and the bones sawed through. The other leg was likewise cut. The legs were entirely nude. A leather strap was around the waist. cut. The legs were entirely nude. A leather strap was around the waist. RED CLOUD, NEID, Dec. 26.—The clossing of the doors of the Red Cloud National Bank, in this city, caused great excitement among the people. It seems that the bank has been financially troubled for some weeks. The principal ownership of the bank was recently changed and an excitement and the principal ownership of the bank was recently of age.

were placed was found a portion of a newspaper dated December 5, the ap-pearance of which indicated that it had been used for the purpose of wiping up blood. On the margin of the paper was written in English, the writing being written in English, the writing being evidently that of a German, the words: "Koeler Helab, Hoboken hotel," and right under this "Mrs." repeated several times. There are wagon tracks all around the spot, but the police are of the the opinion that they were made by wagons hauling material used on the reservoir. One of the tracks, however, appears to have been made by a wheel-barrow, and those investigating the case are hopeful that this may prove a clue to aid them in unravelling the mystery which now surrounds the crime.

KILLED BY HIS PASTOR.

A Stabbing Affray During Church Services in which One Man is Killed.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 26 .- At a country few days since, a man who was disturbpreacher in charge of the church. The names of the parties cannot yet be names of the parties cannot yet be learned. For some time trouble has existed in the church, one faction favoring the retention of the present pastor and the other favoring his dismissal. The factional fight grew very bitter and the trouble reached a climax last Sunday, when the pastor's friends voted him in for another year.

One of the members most bitterly opposed to the pastor approached the pulpit where the reverend gentleman was sitting and engaged in conversation

pit where the reverend gentleman was sitting and engaged in conversation with him. They became very much excited, and finally the member raised his hand and dealt the preacher a sharp blow on the cheek. The pastor remonstrated with his assailant, but he struck the preacher again and again, accompanying the blows with a profusion of vile epithets and also spitting in the minister's face. The minister drew his knife and stabbed his assailant repeatedly. Women screamed and the men looked on aghast while the unfortunate man fell down in the pulpit and died. man fell down in the pulpit and died. The friends of the minister hurried him

Killed His Wife's Lover St. Louis, Dec. 29.—A bloody demestic

Justifiable Killing. HARRODSBURG, KY., Dec. 26.-Joseph Brisoe, alias Bell, colored, of Harrodsburg, got into a drunken row yesterday, and Policemen Smith and Waggoner at-tempted to arrest him. 'Briscoe and his colored mistress attacked the officers. Briscoe broke loose and, was trying to fire a shot gun at the officers when Wag-goner shot him through the heart, by accident, he claims. A Coroner's jury returned a verdict justifying the killing upon the testimony of several colored witnesses.

Murdered for a Goose and Money, Gundell, an employe of an oil works in

Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 26.—Word reached the officers this evening of a Radicals and all of the Liberal deputies brothers, threw Mrs. Dubosh, with have presented an address to King Milan thanking him for the revised constitution, and assuring him of their loyalty. The changes in the constitution render but the Skuptschina necessary. murder at Leisenring. During a drunken

New York, Dec. 26.-The trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art and

Museum of Natural History have agreed to open the Museums on Sunday be-tween the hours of 12 noon and 6 o'clock or on two evenings of the week until 10 o'clock; one of which shall be Saturday. An Iron Firms Embarrassu

were issued to-day against Robert C. ploded last evening in front of the resi- Totten of the firm of Totten & Co., iron dence of Senor Silveia, a conservative founders and machinists, for \$114,000, member of the Chamber of Deputies. The cause of the emburrassment is not The persons guilty of the outrage are known. It is claimed that it will not

Frank Green, a Kentucky desperado, was drowned yesterday by the capsizing of a skiff in the Kentucky river.

The origin of the expression "raining cats and dogs" is probably the same as "hailing omnibuses."